

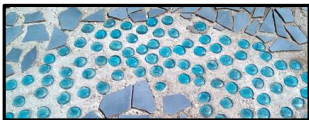
## CITY OF MUSKEGON 2014 YOUTH RECREATION PROGRAMS

The City of Muskegon has partnered with the agencies and groups listed below to provide recreation programming for our City youth. Some groups will provide direct program activities, while others provide scholarship assistance. Most programs are open to the public, although some are geared toward specific populations. Please feel free to call any of the contacts listed for additional information.



Allen Avenue C/R Church "Kids Count" program 2013

- **YMCA/Parks Program** Organized recreation/educational programs at Nelson School, Seyferth Park, Smith-Ryerson Park, Reese Field, and Sheldon Park. Mondays thru Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Breakfast & lunch provided. Ages 6-15. June 16 - August 14, 2014. Contact Jeannette Bytwerk at the YMCA, 231-722-9622, ext. 227.
- **YMCA/Evening Recreation Programs** Programs and recreation 4 nights a week at Muskegon High School, 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. Program supervisors and police officers are available for security and positive interaction with participants. Ages 8-25. June 23 - August 14, 2014 (closed week of June 30 - July 4th). Contact TJ Chappel, 231-722-9622, ext. 243.
- **Allen Avenue Christian Reformed Church/Kids Count** Two-week recreation camp Monday - Wednesday, 1:00 -3:30 p.m. Thursday field trips from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Emphasis on physical activity and health (physical, emotional and psychological). Ages 7- 12 years. June 16 - June 26, 2014. Contact Carmen Wheeler, 231-343-8776.



- **Community enCompass/Youth Empowerment** Summer recreation program for downtown Muskegon neighborhood youth, including field trips and cultural experiences, with an emphasis on the performing arts. Ages 16-24. April 15 - July 15, 2014. Contact William Anthony, 231-220-8783.



- **East Muskegon Little League** Increasing the number of children playing baseball in Muskegon. March 1 - May 5, 2015. Contact Jackie Burr, 231-670-5563.
- **First Wesleyan Church/Open Gym & 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament** Church gym is open twice a week for neighborhood youth. A component of core values/life skills training is included in each session. Ages elementary - 12th grade. January 8 - April 30, 2015. Contact Jeremy Lenertz, 231-769-3069.
- **Heart Soccer** Soccer camp at Nelson Elementary School. Scholarships available for qualifying City of Muskegon residents. Ages 8 -18. June 23-26, 2014. Contact Brent Kowalski, 616-402-5247.
- **Lakeside Youth Football & Cheer** Focusing on football and cheerleading opportunities for children ages 5- 13. June 26 - October 2014. Contact Ashante Petty, 231-571-6510.
- **LOVE Community/Fruitport Lions Garden Youth Program** Monday- Friday evening programs with special activities on Saturdays. Gardening, golf, soccer, Frisbee golf, hula-hooping and other sporting activities. July 7 - August 18, 2014. Contact Morning Bear, 231-903-3037.
- **McLaughlin Neighborhood Association/CATCH Camp** CATCH Camp offers afternoon programming for youth at the McLaughlin Pocket Park, Monday thru Thursday, plus Friday field trips. Ages 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade. June 20 - August 8, 2014. Contact Tom Pastoor, 231-722-7481.



- **Mt. Zion Summer Academy - Club 188** offers a music, arts and health curriculum, plus "Fishing in the City" for middle school students. Kids learn fishing skills at Club 188 then go fishing at different sites in the area. Ages 10- 14. June 16 - August 5, 2014. Contact Janice Knox-Williams, 231-343-6430.

← • **Muskegon Middle School/Growing Goods** Urban farming program for Muskegon Middle School students. May 1 - Sept. 1, 2014. Contact Poppy Sias Hernandez, 231-343-6852.

• **Port City Youth Club/Football & Cheerleading** Instruction in football and cheerleading at Smith-Ryerson Park. Ages 5 - 13. July 15 – Nov. 15, 2014. Contact John King, 231-578-2272.

• **Winter Sports Day** at Muskegon Winter Sports Complex – Coming February 2015. Contact your neighborhood association for details!